

Beaumont Fire-Rescue Services

PERFORMANCE BENCHMARKS

402.09F

Hand Laying 2-½ inch Supply Line

Discipline: Hose
Effective: 1/1/2001
Revised: 12/5/2012 RENUMBERED
Replaces: FF Benchmark #65; PB 402.09H

Anne Huff, Fire Chief

I. Objective

The firefighter, operating as team member, shall demonstrate the proper method of hand laying at least 200 feet of 2-½ inch supply line or larger from a pumper to a water source.

II. Instructions – Procedures for Achieving the Objective

Given the proper equipment you and two (2) or more team members shall demonstrate the proper method of hand laying at least 200 feet of 2-½ inch or larger supply line from a pumper to a water source. You will each be graded on your individual actions, but this is a team exercise and the final evaluation for each of you is determined by the overall team score. You will begin on my instruction to start. The skill will end when the final performing team member states to me that all of the identified steps have been completed. Do you understand these instructions?

III. Examiner's Note

The firefighter will not be allowed to review the performance steps at the time of testing.

IV. Preparation & Equipment

- A. Pumper
- B. Sufficient amount of 2-½ inch supply hose
- C. Water supply (hydrant or second pumper)
- D. Necessary adapters and tools
- E. The firefighter shall accomplish the skill wearing helmet, gloves, trousers, and boots.

V. Reference Sources

- A. TCFP, Performance Standards, Section 106-6.00, 8.00.
- B. NFPA, 1001 3-3.14(b).
- C. IFSTA, Essentials of Fire Fighting, 4th Edition, pages 475-476.

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Name:	Officer #:
Evaluator:	Officer #:
Date:	Location:

If the firefighter: (No partial points given)

	FF1	FF2	FF3
a) Firefighter 1 positions on the rear step of the apparatus.....1.0			
b) Firefighter 2 positions at the tailboard facing the direction of travel.....1.0			
c) Firefighter 1 brings the hose from behind back over the shoulder so that the nozzle can be held chest high.....1.0			
d) Firefighter 2 brings the hose from behind back over the shoulder so that the rear fold ends at the back of the knee.....1.0			
e) Firefighter 1 makes a fold in front that ends at knee height and brings the hose back over the shoulder.....1.0			
f) Firefighter 2 continues to make knee-high folds until the appropriate amount of hose is loaded.....1.0			
g) Firefighter 2 holds the hose to prevent it from slipping off the shoulder.....1.0			
h) Firefighter 2 moves forward approximately fifteen (15) feet (5 meter).....1.0			
i) Firefighter 3 positions at the tailboard facing the direction of travel.....1.0			
j) Firefighter 3 loads hose onto the shoulder in the same manner as FF2, making knee-high folds until the appropriate amount of hose is loaded.....1.0			
k) Firefighter 2 and 3 advance the hose toward the water source while flaking hose off the shoulder (1 point each).....1.0			
l) Firefighter 2 uses adapters and tools to connect hose to the water supply.....1.0			
TOTAL.....			

Points Possible	Passing Score	Attempt	Performance Rating (Points)	PASS	FAIL
12	9	First			
		Second			